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REPORTS OF MY DEATH ARE SOMEWHAT OVERSTATED

Dying may well be the last thing that I do in this life and I'm putting it off for now! February Internet reports said I was killed by a sniper's bullet – of course when I was in grade school the papers said, "DEWEY WINS". No doubt there are quite a number of people who would like to see me dead, but for now it is just third-stool-down rumor. The Internet entry was under Jack McLamb's, "Police Against the New World Order" letterhead. Certainly, Jack being a person I'm close to would usually know about any drastic change in my health. One talk show host, George Douglas, insisted I come on the air to assure his doubtful audience. Could it be that certain agencies were testing for gas: What happens if a patriot is murdered?

If ever such a report becomes true, it is my hope that any who know me will continue to respect and uphold what I consider precious – the Law. Only anarchy is worse than bad government. Regardless of what Hillary's vegetable says (and he does it often), America is not a democracy. We are a Constitutional Republic – a nation of Law. Democracy is majority rule – mobocracy. During Eisenhower's Administration, a majority would have kept black students out of segregate schools, the Law said otherwise. As long as America remains a nation of Law with everyone equal under its protection, we will remain the greatest country on earth. When people, or groups elevate themselves above the Law, tyranny rules, chaos follows, and anarchy results. If you are a patriot, Constitutionalist, or militia member claiming to love America, please understand and defend the Law.

Safeguarding the Law doesn't mean supporting officials (even the president) who break the Law. It doesn't mean you acquiesce to un-Constitutional laws. It does mean that you protect America from any who would take the Law into their own hands and interpret it as they might. For instance, I saw the Montana Freeman as a group who, after gaining media focus through their long FBI standoff, could right certain major wrongs in our country. The Federal Reserve, for example, is un-Constitutional, in as much as it allows private banking to control the currency and credit of the U.S. Government. By trying to impose their own interpretation (using long changed 1807 statutes), the Freeman have thus far failed to have a positive national affect. Indianapolis attorney, Linda Thompson's call for an armed militia march on Washington, D.C. was another wrong way to protest criminal politics. Anarchy will kill America as a land of freedom. We have a duty to fight for our rights, but an equal responsibility to preserve the Law.

HONEY, I SHRANK THE WORLD

Clinton and Congress conspired in mid-February to express mail \$385 million in U.S. Taxpayer money overseas for international abortion programs. Nancy Pelosi (D-CA) explained that 600,000 women die each year from childbirth complications, and it is better to abort millions of pre-born instead. In compliance with CFR/TLC Global-2,000 guidelines, Washington, D.C. will dutifully continue murdering the innocent to stay the 5.8-billion human population bomb from exploding. Entertainment media is full of movies (Mid-Feb NBC TV movie, 26 Feb National Geographic special, and a TBS special on March 23) about a comet/asteroid collision endangering life as we know it, and 10 new books address the same issue. The fact is some 2,000 objects almost a mile wide cross earth's orbital path and 40,000 tons of tiny space debris are added each year to our mass, still scientists maintain that our number one threat is "over-population." By the way, in the next 20 years, 64 celestial bodies of considerable mass, traveling at 45 miles per second (162,000 mph), are predicted to be "near misses." It's no doubt normal to emphasize what you can see. Let's hope the scientists are right and we don't get a quick up close and personal look at a real world collision.

As a youngster, I was struck by a Ripley's Believe It or Not in the Sunday Enid Morning News. It showed a never ending line of Chinese marching eight abreast into the sea Red. China's population, despite its forced abortion program, one-child per family law, and selling fetuses at \$1.27 for health food, is approaching super critical mass. Bei Jing says they will soon pass 1.3 billion people, compared to America's 264.6 million (April 1996). I believe the *Miles Franklin Quarterly* has done a credible job of condensing some interesting global statistics into an example we can all relate to.

If the world was divided into four major regions and certain data concerning the human population was compressed into just 100 people here is how they would appear: 57 Asians, 21 Europeans, 14 from North and South America, and 8 Africans. Only 30 are Christians. Half of all the wealth is in the hands of 6 white men from the United States. 70 percent can't read. Half suffer from malnutrition, and 80% live in sub-standard housing. Only one has a college education. Thank God for the USA, and our life as Americans – including the 5,000,000 parasitic illegal aliens currently attached to our body politick!

As long as we are looking at statistics, consider Clinton's February, State of the Union address. The first and longest applause was to his: "Let this be the first Congress to balance the budget." Then like a glib stand-up comic, as the ovation subsided, he added, "in the year 2002." Clinton is a liar! His promises are nothing more than sweet words. He will be long gone from office, leaving his successor (probably Elizabeth Dole) with the impossible commitment. Two days later, our "Coward-in-Chief" delivered to Congress the largest

budget in history for this next fiscal year, \$1.7 trillion!

Ronald Reagan turned 86 in February. When he was born the U.S. debt amounted to \$1.1 billion – meaning every American was obligated to \$12.41! When I came into the world in January 1939, a loaf of bread was a dime, a new car cost \$750, you could build a home for \$6,000, and our Federal tab was up to \$43 billion, \$325 of which was mine. The U.S. paid its first \$1 billion interest the year following. My son, Jim's birth-year is 1957. America at that time was in the red \$273 billion; my son came into the world owing \$1,600. America, that year, paid the privately owned Federal Reserve \$6.4 billion in taxpayer interest. My grandson, James joined us in 1980, just as the debt topped \$900 billion. His little shoulders withstood a financial burden of \$4,000, as the U.S. shoveled \$75 billion into the "never been audited" FED coffers.

The U.S. debt went to \$1 trillion during Reagan's first term. By the time George Bush took office eight years later, in 1989, the debt had risen to \$2.6 trillion. Each American was in hock for \$10,534, and the FED had its hand out for \$214 billion, 20.1% of all federal outlay. In only four years of Bushwhacking the American birthright redoubled to \$4.0646 trillion (\$15,846 per capita share) with \$292.3 billion in interest. Bill Clinton came into office with promises of debt reduction and a balanced budget, but his first term ended with Every American owing more than \$20,000 in debt, while paying out \$335 billion in interest to the privately owned FED. As Clinton accepted the reins of power for a second term, our debt fired past \$5.3 trillion (growing more than \$10,000 per second). Is debt slavery the estate you want your children to inherit? FDR's budget when I was a toddler, amounted to \$9 billion. It has increased almost 200 times since then! Have your earnings kept pace? Where is America headed? What should you be doing to safeguard your loved ones? PLEASE READ ON!

THEY WILL BLOSSOM AS A ROSE.

Crossed Arrows symbolize Special Forces. "Trained to live off nature's land," I have always had empathy for Native Americans whether they be Indians, Island people, or Eskimos. In each case they have been the few doing battle against the many to secure their homes, family, land, and way of life. In each case, the enormity of government overwhelmed the country people. Tyranny always knocks wearing a badge and carrying a gun. The leadership in Washington, D.C. makes and reneges on promises as easily as they break wind – anything to steal and exploit natural resources. Today, we find that in some areas, having further reduced the postage-stamp size "reservations," the Department of Interior is now laying waste to sacred burial sites in the name of the "Scenic By-Way" program. Nevada, Arizona and Utah contain ancient pictographs being ravaged by vacationing ball-cappers chipping them off the sandstone with tire tools as memorabilia. On the other hand, in other areas, Washington, D.C. is expanding its dominion by setting aside more land (in the name of Indian heritage). I've read

accounts favoring white expansionism, where sadistic savages slaughtered innocent pioneer families – I also saw a bumper sticker on a Red Mans pickup that said: "Custer got what he deserved!" Still the Indians were cajoled, prodded, and run off their hunting grounds and traditional homelands – all in the interest of politics and economics.

In Hawaii, a benevolent and peace-loving King Kamehameha put up no armed resistance when a marauding Englishman, Captain James Cook invaded the then Sandwich Islands in 1778. Instead of declaring war, the Monarch diplomatically appealed to the British Crown. The raiders were withdrawn and rightful order restored leaving behind the traditional white man plagues of alcoholism and Western disease. Later (1819 – death of King Kamehameha), New Englanders from 11 American companies and legions of missionaries converged on the Pacific paradise to capitalize on sugarcane and impose their values on their Polynesian hosts. It became obvious that American presence would soon destroy Hawaiian culture. U.S. Consul John L. Stevens seized control of the kingdom on 17 January 1893. Stanford B. Dole (as in pineapple), son of an American missionary, was appointed governor. The Hawaiian Sovereign, Queen Liliuokalani, tried to follow her predecessor's example of success, and appealed to President Grover Cleveland. While Cleveland refused to annex Hawaii, he did nothing to stop Dole from creating the "Republic of Hawaii" on 4 July 1894. William McKinley annexed the Islands as a U.S. Territory on 4 July 1898 – Dole was appointed governor. Five American families controlled Hawaii until after World War II.

Today Hawaiians strive to occupy what little land was "ceded" to them by the USG. Commercial and government interests keep the gate closed on the grounds. It can't be occupied until the proper "infrastructures" (electrification, sewage, roads, etc.) are in place. The same model was imposed upon "Sewards Folly" when gold, oil, and other precious resources were discovered in Alaska.

Half of our States use Indian names (Oklahoma in Choctaw means "Red-man," Illinois is "Warrior" in Algonquin, and Dakota is the Sioux word for "Friend.") Treaties (supposedly with the same force as the Constitution) recognize the "sovereignty" of 554 separate Indian Nations containing 1.9 million people within the borders of the United States. A current list of recognized tribes is recorded in Federal Register 61FR58211 dated November 1996. 56.2 million acres of land is currently set aside for them. Still generations of American Indians have heretofore found it difficult to distinguish themselves in a land dominated by Whites (195 million), Black African (30 million), Hispanic (23 million), Asian (8 million), and Jewish (5 million) majorities.

We celebrate Columbus Day, Christmas, Easter, Thanksgiving, Cinco de Mayo, Jewish holidays, St. Patrick's Day, Halloween, Columbus Day, Chinese New Year, and of late, Kwanza ("First" in Swahili). In January its MLK's birthday and February is dedicated to "Black American History Month." What do you remember about our nation's celebration of its original citizens? Yet, something strange and unprecedented

is suddenly happening – Majority races are lining up seeking membership in Indian tribes! It's the same old story – there's a buck to be had.

In 1831 the Mormon Prophet Joseph Smith reported a revelation (recorded in D&C 49:24) before the end: "...Jacob shall flourish in the wilderness and the Laminates (Native Americans) will blossom as the rose." Joseph Smith later added that they would be as a "rose upon the mountain;" Brigham Young, and in our time, Spencer W. Kimball, affirmed the prosperity of the Indian will occur before the Second Coming. For more than 150 years the words lay fallow in the LDS teaching, but today, we are seeing them take root.

Indian Casinos are popping up across the land ranking in billions of dollars from drinking, smoking, doping "civilized" addicted gamblers hoping against hope to beat ungodly odds and break the bank. I have always been opposed to this form of nation building. It hurts the local population, encourages crime and other abuses, but isn't this exactly what the westward expansion did? I believe Native Americans will flower. I strongly support their continued sovereignty. Until now I didn't see a righteous way for them to regenerate the ancient Hanging Gardens of Babylon wonder here in the USA. READ THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES VERY CAREFULLY. I think you will agree that "good" seeds are now sown that can lead to a national "Rose" bowl for every freedom loving American!

Wayne Terrant writes trusts, UBOs and offers tax advice. While "pricey," I believe Wayne is accurate, honest, forthright and worth the cost. In 1989, I objected to the brutal insensitive ways of the IRS and decided to stop filing a Form 1040. I informed them that they could keep the withholdings from my Army retainer pay. Pundits from across the land supplied me with regulations, scripture and verse on my right not to file. A tax-attorney friend from Huntsville, Alabama, Lowell Beecraft, has won 17 "willful failure to file" cases in Federal Court. I proved to the IRS that every year since I joined the Regular Army in 1957, I had received a refund from my return. I objected to USG heavy handedness of citizens, unaccountability, criminal involvement in overdosing America, disregard of U.S. POWs, immoral conduct with respect to God, education, third world wars, abortion, support of the PRC, USSR, Federal debt vis the FED, et al. I ran for Congress and made my stand against the IRS. They could keep the taxes extracted from my pay.

The paper war began. The IRS didn't care that regulations forbade confiscating funds from retired service members. A letter from the Judge Advocate at the DOD Accounting Office said: We just follow IRS instructions. If you have a complaint, take it up with them. The IRS only knew that I was a "hit" in their computer for not having filed and the automated collection enforcement program could only be satisfied by returns, levies, liens and garnishments, or court action. Throughout, Wayne advised me that I was required by law to file on the federal funds received. While I explored legal remedy, the fines, interest and penalties

compounded. In the end, Wayne was right -- render unto Caesar that which is Caesar's. Yes, I had fulfilled a contract and the USG was obligated to pay me as agreed -- according to their regulations. In the meantime, Wayne continued to help people avoid problems with the IRS.

On 23 January, I officiated at the marriage of Wayne to Vicky Bond in Las Vegas. At the reception, I met three more Wayne fans; a Cherokee Indian couple, and a lawyer from Oklahoma City. The attorney became interested in protecting his clients through Wayne's trusts and UBOs, but what really got his attention was a plan to create a "full-service" Indian Bank immune to the IRS. As a sovereign nation within a nation, a properly chartered Indian entity could provide all the financial benefits and security of a Swiss bank -- on-shore! I think it is a most constructive way to assert the autonomy of an Indian Nation while contributing a valuable service.

The bank is officially charted as the First Lenape Nation Bank and physically located on Indian land at Anardarko, Oklahoma, not far from my home town of Enid. "Lenape" means "First People" in the Delaware Language. The Delaware was the first Tribe to conclude a government treaty in the interest of White progress. Now, in the interest of overall American advancement the Delaware are extending their sovereign protection to you. The Cherokee man and his wife are both from Enid, Oklahoma, my hometown. They are investing \$400,000 to help jump-start this first Indian bank. Here is a partial list of advantages over conventional U.S. banking practices:

1. Eliminate the delivery of Notice of Levy by the IRS for release of depositors funds. The tribal bank will refuse to acknowledge the validity of any attempts of an outside agency to gain access to information about a depositor's accounts. The tribe will NOT provide recognition of ANY court order or action whether Federal or State. There will be no garnishment or attachment of accounts by any individual, agency, or government.

2. The identity of any depositor account will remain completely confidential. The bank will further allow you to file a certificate of recognition (password account) which allows utilization of a name of your choice for all financial transactions. You have the exact same security provided by off shore Swiss banks, but ON-SHORE!

3. Accounts will be immune from state or federal action, including attempts to collect state taxes on interest earned. Deposits will earn a reasonable rate of return. The tribal bank prohibits the enactment or enforcement of any tribal taxes on accounts in the Lenape bank.

4. All deposits will be insured up to \$50-million by private insurance.

5. The tribal bank offers all services common to other banks including electronic deposits and credit cards usable at ATMs across the land.

6. Government checks are rapidly becoming a thing of the past. USG entitlements (Social

Security, SSI, military retirements, etc.) are now through direct deposit only. You can change the current deposit address to: FIRST LENAPE NATION BANK, POB 825, ANARDARKO, OKLAHOMA 73005.

7. For a free packet of information covering all details write to the above address, or call 702-696-0345. You may speak directly to Wayne Terrant by calling 702-696-0333.

Some will say, "The government has lied about everything else, why would they allow the Indians to interfere with the international banking cabal? No one can say for sure what will happen, but the U.S. Supreme Court has yet to rule against American Indian sovereignty! I think it is worth the risk for the banking advantages offered. CFA will be a participant and so will CPA! For years I have recommended patriots open an account with Richard Flowers, Christian Patriot Association's commodity and barter service. Richard would write bill paying checks from member accounts. The IRS and other entities were prohibited from seeking individual information or taking action without having a grievance against the whole association. Unfortunately, Richard was working through a conventional Portland bank and the IRS was able to do serious damage by seizing the CPA account. Now CPA will be able to wire transfer and provide full services with IRS protection.

LIFE IS A TEST -- YOU EITHER FLY OR FRY

You don't generally advance without passing various tests. In school it means performing to a certain standard usually using paper and pencil. Trades require working more skillfully with your hands. Driving requires a test for a permit, flyers must demonstrate acquired piloting skills to FAA Examiners to exercise certain licensed privileges. Police and Fire fighters go through promotional boards, as do military personnel. Doctors and Lawyers pass competency requirements in order to practice their profession. What about life? Are there tests to pass if we are to be promoted in times to come? I submit that there is life after life and our place in it depends upon the Grace of God and our performance while on earth. We are saved by Grace, but Faith without works is dead!

The Parable of the Talents shows that God, for His gift of life, expects an increase from us. As a human being with certain Blessings, we are expected (as taught by every righteous God-oriented religion in the world) to discipline ourselves against the ways of the world. One of our chief tests is marriage. Demonstration of self-mastery over worldly excesses is one level, but if we can't find harmony between two people, how well prepared are we to serve on a higher plane? Marriage requires consideration and compromise for two people to live out a successful existence together. Now add children -- how well are you at parenting? Is your family a success?

George and Gaynel Couron are America's longest married couple. George is 100, his bride only 97. They

were married April 10, 1916 and have 14 children, 43 grandchildren, 75 great-grandchildren and 30 (known) great-greats! They both agree that it was love at first sight. She was "that girl on the sidewalk" that he finally met again when the circus came to Ft Dodge, Iowa. Do you suppose the Father of all life will have a great reward for this couple who have kept their faith and promise to Him and each other? How much better have George and Gaynel shown themselves at family-raising than, say Liz Taylor, or Mickey Rooney? Today so great is our failure at marriage that it is a minority group of American children that live with both parents. Please realize how important you, your spouse, and family are to God's plan of development for us.

George and his bride have viewed through life what Daniel and John saw in vision – America and the world cycling like a giant heart towards a prophetic destiny. Within their lifetime nations were born, perished, and regenerated. Imperialism rallied, then declined; Asia was Westernized; Communism invented and spurned. The world shrank beneath the auto and airplane, and went to war twice followed by revolutions replacing monarchs with dictators. America suffered a Great Depression, and the Courons watched FDR's New Deal become a raw deal. Racism decreased while anti-Semitism peaked with the holocaust and gave way to the rebirth of Israel. They watched the "cold war" produce an arms race with a purse of trillions to the arms merchants.

Our nation, with military might enough to destroy the world many times over, went to war and lost in tiny places few people had ever heard of. As we floundered in rice paddies, our former enemies rose from the ashes of defeat to fiscal dominance. Global government, one-world economics is a reality, while morals and our God are redefined in the name of "tolerance.". We have gone to the moon and beyond while a "third-world" war raged and the American President was murdered along with a score of other legitimate leaders. Dozens of new black nations sprang up under the UN and global leadership today is through a West African who's nation has never known stability. Oil became gold and the gasoline producers caused drivers to line up for the precious fuel – second only to water as the most abundant liquid on earth. Yes George and Gaynel represent a living history of a nation's growth and development. The good news is that they lived it together, in, but apart from the world. CONGRATULATIONS AND MANY HAPPY RETURNS TO GEORGE AND GAYNEL COURON!

AMER-I-CAN, OR CAN'T -- EITHER WAY YOU'RE RIGHT

During the time of Christ it is estimated 200 million people shared the planet. Today, more than 25 times the number 5,800,000,000 people occupy the same space. Considering all the "interactive" communication, is it any wonder that you feel frazzled? This is a third article in a series designed to prepare you to cross Clinton's bridge into

the 21st Century.

Scriptures promise that those who die in Christ will come forth with Him in the First Resurrection. The other dead must wait for the Second Resurrection, aka, The Great Judgment. When Christ comes, He will bring with Him all of Mankind who have accepted Him as the Messiah and have been sanctified by the Great Truth Detector, the Holy Spirit. Those alive on the earth at the time of Christ's Coming, whose names are recorded in the Lamb's Book of Life, are to be "Transformed" in the twinkling of an eye. Both the living and the resurrected dead will be graced with Celestial bodies and be with the Son of God on Earth for 1,000 years of peace. Whether we made the cut depends on God's Grace and our ability to handle life in the fast lane. Christians aren't exactly thrown to gladiators and wild beasts today for pagan pleasure, but we are victims of a much more subtle predator – **STRESS**.

Ephesians 6:12 describes the spiritual warfare raging upon the earth today as Satan strives mightily for the souls of mankind in these latter days. There are several distinct steps that we can take in putting on the FULL armor of the Lord so as to protect ourselves from the demons who would steal our soul. God has given us everything we need to stave off the world's evils. In December's CFA Letter I gave you the guidelines to accomplishing priorities you deem most important. Most people make frivolous New Year's Resolutions and either forget or abandon them within days. You were given a more certain way to identify and accomplish the important things this year. Last month, I listed some empowerment thoughts that you might realize your worth and assert your rights in gaining R-E-S-P-E-C-T. This month the focus is on gaining mastery over killer — S-T-R-E-S-S.

Each living human has a mind, body, and spirit. The body is a physical vehicle driven by the will of our mind. As demonstrated in Spike-12, our mind is divided into the conscious and sub-conscious. Electrical impulses from the brain cause muscles and ligaments to put our frame in motion. This motor-ability is well understood, but far less is known why some people strive and survive when others won't and don't? People are either victors or victims – as decided within their own minds. We either do a Gene Kelly, "Singing in the Rain," or shrivel up when conditions cloud and into our lives some rain falls, ALA Longfellow's Poem, "A Rainy Day." A good recipe for making lemonade tells the tale between making the most of life, or joining the ranks of a craze-prone culture.

There are war stories about severely injured servicemen performing impossible tasks – even dead pilots landing planes. Some strong commitment kept them going to the last – and beyond. Captain F.M. Ritchie was my special operations deputy commander in Vietnam. We raided a large enemy base in a pincher move with serious losses. My element overran the physical positions, but the retreating enemy ran square into FM's approaching column. When we finally linked up, I found Ritchie shouting at three wounded

other side. Ritchie exclaimed: "I want these three court-martialed!" I noticed the back of FM's tiger shirt was darkly stained and oozing blood. A closer look yielded eight holes made by bullets and shrapnel. When asked why he had not left the battlefield, Ritchie blushed (as much as a Japanese-American can) and replied: "Well, somebody had to hang around and take care of these guys." Any one else would have been down for the count! Ritchie had that extra drive that went beyond the physical.

As a Hypnotherapist, I've worked with countless clients and a myriad of maladies. Before coming to me for therapy, a physician ruled out any causative pathology. Each patient had sub-consciously willed, or allowed a debilitating condition. One adult female was a failure as a PR specialist, even though she was highly motivated and well credentialed. It wasn't until we uncovered the hidden reason for her social failure that she was able to realize job satisfaction. Her dad had been ill. She visited him everyday in the hospital – except one. Her fiancée convinced her to attend a party. Her dad died of course. In her own mind, she was guilty of contributing to his death. If only she hadn't gone to the party. Do you think her father would have wanted her punished? There was no way she could ever feel comfortable in a social gathering until she forgave herself.

A second woman couldn't stop smoking. Her mind-crime, as a little girl, was being angry at her grandfather. She yelled at him: "I hope you die!" He did – of emphysema! The penalty must equal the crime. Her young mind was convinced she had "willed" her Grandpop dead. She had to suffer in the same manner – by smoking herself to death. A final example: A man committed suicide. His wife felt that she must have failed him and caused his tragic choice. It wasn't long before she developed cancer and didn't respond to treatment. Don't get me wrong, no question, disease does occur naturally, but medical experts agree that 9 out of 10 patients have problems originating in the mind. A woman gets migraines on the weekends – when her husband is home. Any doubt "who" the pain in her brain is?

Sigmund Freud may have crossed a wire or two in his definition of the psychic in homo-sapiens, but I believe he was right about three basic components he called the EGO, ID, and SUPER EGO. Each of us has a "reality," a self – our EGO. We are who we are because of all the product of things in our make-up! Upon birth we aren't much, and are overly subject to that raw unabated expression of emotion known as ID. When physically or emotionally uncomfortable, we open our mouths and let the world know. Infant ego-self isn't highly developed. Tiny new-borns are totally dependent upon the attention, approval and service of those in authority over them. To guard against dangerous ID expression, we are equipped with an overriding SUPER-EGO. This "guardian" is very sensitive to the reaction of authority figures. Unfortunately, the Super-Ego isn't always right in programming lasting behavior rules.

Our mind is electrical and much like a computer. Unless an installed program is changed, the response remains

the same. Problems arise when, as adults, youthful programming subconsciously modifies our behavior – as if we were still helpless. Sure, the EGO-self in healthy humans is sufficient to over-rule infant neurosis, but can fail when tragedy strikes, or stress build-up blows the "logic" circuit-breaker? I've previously written about the clinical model of a young homosexual, who as a toddler was punished for walking in on his naked mom (sensitizing event); experienced mom's wrath again when caught playing doctor with little Mary (reinforcing event); and finally gets clubbed by Claudia as a teenager trying to cop a feel on his first date (symptom producing event). This young man's Super Ego took ever increasing notice of physical damage associated with naked females. There was something wrong with seeing, or touching a member of the opposite sex. Misinterpreted Super-Ego signals, made worse by identity anemia, ultimately results in a belief that it is wrong to have sexual feeling for a member of the opposite sex. Most CFA Newsletter readers probably don't agonize over same-sex relationships, but apply this same modeling to other areas of behavior and many of us discover something in common – we've got a bothersome weakness.

People who chronically worry about cancer will likely turn out to be self-fulfilling prophets. If you focus on a fear of failure at a particular task, you will most likely fail. In my own case, an Army General told my 1959 commissioning class: "You former NCOs will make the best company-grade officers in the army. After that you will be eclipsed by the college grads." I believed him. My war record was distinguished as a leader of men under fire, then I was selected to attend the Infantry Officers Career Course along with ROTC and West Pointers – OH MY!

Everything in the military is competitive. Rather than withdraw, my strong type-A personality prevailed. I knew I couldn't keep up with the "Regulars" academically, so I had enough sense to concentrate on strengths instead of reinforcing weaknesses. As young Infantry officers attending school, we were ranked in two areas: academics and physical fitness. I forgot about falling behind in my studies and worked hard to make the highest score on the Ranger PT Test. In the end, I won the PT trophy with a perfect score of 500, AND the pen set as the academic Honor Graduate. The experience set my inferiority complex back four years.

Four years later at the Command & General Staff College, I discovered my mediocrity syndrome program was still running. I was one of three "non-college grads" in a field of 1,600 of the best and brightest from all military services. We had hundreds of PhDs and three times that number with Masters degrees. Subconsciously, I was a dead duck! I drew a likeness on my daily reference book of a straining fat man breaking wind as he tried with all his might to blow a bugle. Beneath the image were the words: "You can try too hard." Throughout the year of demanding studies I enjoyed nurturing 10 flying students through to their FAA license, had fun taking extra graduate courses at the University of Kansas, drank Rum and Coke at the O-Club, and in general resigned

myself to make the best of an impossible situation.

The biggest exam of the year had to do with "Field Armies on the Offensive." We used Europe as our battlefield in a mock war with the Soviets. Everyone was stressed to the max over this killer exam. I had actually planned to cram the night before, but Sam, my Mom, came to Kansas City on business. Captured, she kept me at the Playboy Club until nearly dawn. I didn't even bother changing my uniform. My best friend, Joe Felter, picked me up for class. I was a mess. Upon walking into the testing room, a understanding Medical Corps Colonel came up and offered me some pills with the advise: "Take these. I don't know what happened, but they won't hurt you any more than you have already damaged yourself." We were each seated individually at a large desk. On stage was a giant clock that counted down the hours, minutes and seconds. Faculty Monitors patrolled the room to insure original work by each student. Huge tactical overlays, templates, and rolls of map sheets were handed out. No one could touch pencil to paper until the exact second – every heartbeat would count. Careers would rise or fall on the outcome of this single test.

I don't remember much. Joe tells it best. He said that at the appointed moment the room exploded into swishing thrashing activity as frantic field grade students hastened to secure onion-skin transparencies over spread out maps of Germany, while devouring volumes of battle information, and feverishly writing solutions in the space allotted. Suddenly, according to Joe, there was the sound of a single overlay being opened and torn in two as I had apparently come to and began trying unsuccessfully to manipulate the see-through paper. Joe told me: "My heart sank for an instant when I saw your condition, but none of us could spare more than a glance, and rejoice that it was you, and not them." No one was more surprised than I, when the final postings showed my name at the top. My highest score was on the all important "Offensive" final!

Some students were so stressed out at the importance of C&GSC to their career that they committed suicide, freaked out during four hour exams, and one pair even got into a knife fight over a parking spot. After graduation the Army said I could have my choice of assignments anywhere in the world. Perfectly sober, I chose to return to Vietnam. I had won my battle against academic inferiority, but lost to the guilt of those left behind. Joe saved my life. He convinced me that going back was suicide – I was still shouldering my lost soldiers. My self-imposed punishment was to return until I too shared their fate. HOW MANY OF YOU, RIGHT NOW, ARE RESTRICTING YOUR LIFE BECAUSE OF SOME SUB-CONSCIOUS SELF-INFLICTED JUDGMENT, DOUBT, FEAR, SIN, WRONG-DOING, OR INFERIORITY? By the way, my friend, Joe finally got fed-up with my inferiority concerning college grads and challenged me to take a degree. Joe and I then went on to finish a Masters program together. Just to show I had the cure, I stayed for a second sequence. It was tough giving up my crutch. Without it, I had to compete.

STOP BEING A SELF-FULFILLING PROPHET OF DOOM! STOP IT NOW!! A person who believes they cannot survive a threatening situation will not usually survive, and visa-versa. Our minds control our destiny! If we believe in our mind that we will fail, our mind programs that failure. The marathon (26.3 miles) is an excellent physical and self-esteem buff-stick. I recommend this tool to any who haven't already received the boost and are able to complete this very demanding trial of training discipline, conditioning and will power. The reason the military pumps up its paratroops, Rangers, SF, frogmen, and aviators with pride is to give them a mental "CAN DO" attitude. Like Bumble Bees that don't know, according to man's laws of aerodynamics, they cannot fly, they just do!

A person who won't accept a doctor's prognosis of incurable cancer and sees nothing but positive life promoting health in their minds-eye, will likely beat the disease. I've mentioned it before. We, in essence, have our own little universe to command. Our body is composed of trillion of cells. Individual cells are created, die and are disposed as waste. When virus or bacteria enter our personal universe, anti-bodies are dispatched to combat the invaders. When a cell or cell group goes berserk and explodes into a cancerous formation, which occurs with great frequency, our defenses rush to eliminate the threat – UNLESS THE SUBCONSCIOUS CONTROLLING MIND WITHHOLDS THESE LIFE PROMOTING FUNCTIONS BECAUSE WITHIN YOUR OWN MICRO-GODLY SELF YOU ORDER IT!!!

Lorraine Day, MD and many others have beaten cancer through alternatives when medical methods failed and doctors gave up. Many victors have written books of instruction on how you can win. EVERY SUCCESS STORY INCLUDES POSITIVE MIND CONTROL. I will cover in detail the methods you can use as a "technician" to help perform "miracles on demand" in the Special Spike on PSYCHOLOGICAL OPERATIONS. Please note the word H-E-L-P. You can know every positive measure and exactly how to apply it, but minus powerful faith on the part of your client, without God, there is little you can do. God is God and can intervene at anytime, anywhere, for any purpose, but His Laws concerning healing call for His ministers (you) to anoint with consecrated oil and lay your hands upon the afflicted. The blessing for restored health is given in accordance with the Will of God and faith of the recipient. I have worked successfully with several cancer patients using both therapy and blessings. With a single exception (Patrick Byrne), a positive attitude of faith was the difference between life and death. I've written about Patrick Byrne before. His miraculous recovery from terminal cancer stands as a signal example to mankind as to the power of mind over matter when mixed with God's Grace.

Self-discipline and self-honesty are essential in developing a winning philosophy of life. Self-discipline means to react to circumstances based on common sense and logic and stick to a productive course of action once

selected – even if tempted to do otherwise. Self-honesty on the other hand is recognizing ones own capabilities, limitations, desires and needs. "Creative Visualization" within our mind's eye through the use of intuition (skin feeling – 6th sense) of what is needed, as opposed to what may be wanted, and then applying the necessary will power and focus to turn your vision into a reality is the productive answer in backing down stress.

Today more and more people are being debilitated by "hyper-tension" (stress). Even our new German Shepherd puppy, Harley, was diagnosed at the Las Vegas Animal Hospital as "overly stressed" after he arrived via air freight from Portland. STRESS is an emotional factor that causes mental and body tension. Stress alters our equilibrium and adversely modifies behavior and performance. Seek to: understand stress, measure stress within yourself, control stress, set personal goals to solve stress, constantly pursue knowledge and advance yourself. Stress can trigger panic (sudden unreasoning terror, accompanied by flight and overpowering fright). At this point the EGO-mind and body no longer work together. The ID or SUPER EGO can cause childish, or self-destructive reactions – most often from perceived more than actual danger. Remember how kids can psyche themselves out telling ghost stories or visiting a graveyard after dark? We can do the same thing when stressed and further challenged.

Steve Vaus sings a song about how things were better in black and white. No doubt life was simpler before television, computers, cell-phones, fax-machines, multi-media, and the Internet. We drank brown water and endured open windows for ventilation in lieu of fluoride and electrical "brown-outs." There were no channels to surf, just radio shows Amos & Andy and the Grand Old Opry. Milk was delivered and we drank out of glass instead of aluminum. There was no 7-Eleven, nor junk food; doctors made house calls, and traffic jams weren't a problem. A nickel would buy candy, and for a dime, you got into the movies – which didn't need to be rated. Without so much to do, people considered themselves important enough to sit down with family to eat. We had time to talk and do things together. Divorce was low, as was substance abuse, crime, and taxes. Today there are so many things to go wrong that getting through the day becomes a series of chinese fire drills. No wonder it takes a CAT-scan where an Aspirin once worked. Almost every society in the world takes a nap every day after lunch. The fighting even stopped in Vietnam for two-hours "pock-time." When is the last time you accorded yourself such luxury?

See if any of the following apply to you: Mental narrowing – an inability to stay balanced (keep all the balls in the air) from task to task throughout the day without memory blackouts; Perception problems – over-reacting (exploding) to situations that in the cool light of objectivity you feel bad about; Analytic tunnel vision – finding yourself unable to figure out what is wrong and apply simple remedial action; Response freeze – unable to do the right thing (like applying

the brake instead of the accelerator) in uncomplicated situations; Time compression – you find yourself in a race against the clock to finish daily requirements. Does your Task loading have you piece-mealing – going from one to the other without actually resolving either. These are all signs of stress than can lead to declining physical, emotional, and spiritual health. Your Super-Ego will guard against overload by selecting accepted solutions, e.g., migraine headaches (you have to take a sedative and rest), family separation (you just can't handle all the homemaking and child-raising by yourself), contracting cancer (rather than risk failure, you will receive sympathy), etc., etc., etc.

CIA MIND CONTROL

As a Special Forces SAD (Strategic Atomic Demolition Munitions) Team Leader, we were trained in unusual methods to overcome enormous stress in performance of our atypical assignments. With chaos all around, we were expected to remain focused on calmly erecting and fusing a man-portable nuclear bomb, usually at night on target in bad weather. Each piece had a specific sequence in the construction. Extreme care had to be taken in positioning the internal plutonium rings one atop the other and inserting squib cells in the base. The radio-active gun-trigger demanded exact handling as did setting the fuse-timers. There was no fail-safe. Regardless of conditions, the routine had to remain the same to assure proper detonation and destruction of the target.

To prepare for intense stress we ran a progression of three exercises. New members to the unit worked with the basic skill and progressed to the higher exercises as mastery was achieved. I offer this CIA Concentration Exercise as a buffer for those of you interested in increasing mental prowess while reducing the effects of stress. True genius is possible when all external static and interference is tuned out. The mind is a most powerful tool when concentrated as a laser instead of being defused as a florescent bulb. Such an ability can mean the difference between life and death.

CONCENTRATION – BEGINNER: Sit in front of a clock with a sweep second hand. Take a series of deep breaths to relax your body and calm the mind. Focus your eyes on the second hand without allowing another thought to disturb your mind. The first miscellaneous image or thought stops the exercise. Try initially for 60-seconds and work toward a goal of five-minutes. Being able to focus with such intensity of purpose on a single event allows you to mentally attack the source of a problem and solve it.

CONCENTRATION – SENIOR: This level requires a deep level of self-directed relaxation. Sit or recline in a comfortable position. Begin with three deep breaths, as you exhale close your eyes and cause yourself to relax, feel relaxation replace tension as, with each breath you inhale calm and expel stress. If you experience difficulty, visualize the muscles and nerves that control movement in your toes (Initially it may help to tighten these muscles and then release them), imagine them as tight rubber bands; release

them; allow them to hang loose and limp. Work your mind's eye through each muscle group of the body until you are totally without tension – even in your forehead and ears (allow them to droop). Now, relax your conscious mind as much as your body. Imagine the mind as a body of still water. See all invading thought as a breeze that distorts the tranquillity of your mind. Gradually omit all interference until your mind is like a pond of perfectly still water. See your face in the pond. Examine carefully every aspect of your features. Work with this exercise until you can remain motionless and focused for one-hour. Mastery of this skill will sharpen intuition to a fine edge.

CONCENTRATION – MASTER: Fill a bowl with water. Float a straight pin (coated with mineral oil) on the surface. Begin the exercise with three deep breaths. Look at and direct your total energy on the pin. With your finger slightly above the pin, use the electrical force of your mind and body like a stream of water to maneuver and direct the pin. Once mastered, remove your hand and with your face several inches above the bowl, use only the force of your mind to move the pin. This exercise is best done in private to keep friends and family from having you committed. I promise that continued practice will eliminate tons of stress. You may even open a tap into the creative resources of Michelangelo, Mozart, Henry Ford, Shakespeare, Washington, Columbus, Edison, Galileo, Nikola Tesla, Socrates, and St. Paul, and others with a demonstrated ability to overcome worldly impediments in representing God's Handiwork on earth. Good Look!

NEPTUNE'S KINGDOM – TREASURES FOR THE TAKING!

This month's cover emblem is the Scuba Badge to be awarded to attendees of a unique April happening. A window will open next month offering WHAT HAS NEVER BEEN, NOR EVER WILL BE AGAIN...SPIKE SCUBA! Be certain you're aboard for six-days of total immersion into "the" underwater adventure of a lifetime. I'm so turned on about sharing these skills that the cost (\$400) will likely leave me in the hole. Such a comprehensive course, taught by no less than 10 professional dive instructors including world record holder Hal Watts, would cost thousands – if such a curriculum were ever offered.

SPIKE-SCUBA is less than a month away. This will be one of the most fulfilling experiences of your life. Typical of all Specially Prepared Individuals for Key Events instruction, your training in Self-Contained-Underwater-Breathing-Apparatus will be far more than a course in how to sport-dive with an air tank, mask and fins. SPIKE-SCUBA will spend three days (Monday, 14 April through Wednesday, 16 April), qualifying all attendees as International Openwater Divers under the auspices of the Professional Association of Diving Instructors. Those Spikers who already have a "Dive Card" will receive a refresher, perform as assistant instructors, and begin advanced classes.

Thursday – Saturday, 19 April will be a job-fair of specialized SCUBA subjects including Ice Diving, Underwater Hunting & Collecting, Photography, Dive Computers, Cavern & Cave Exploration, Deep Diving, High Altitude Diving, Commercial Diving, Wreck & Salvage activities, Search-Rescue-Recovery, Diving with Mixed Gases, Dive Medicine, Night Operations, Underwater Navigation, Use of a Full Face Mask and Dry Suit, Working with Rebreathers, Security Methods, Diving in Rivers & Currents, and other underwater environments. You're going to get a taste of it all at the site where world record holders go to learn and train. 40-Fathom Grotto, near Ocala, Florida is home to Hal Watts, the one person acclaimed worldwide as "MISTER SCUBA." Hal is opening his doors exclusively for SPIKERS and hosting our training throughout the Week of 14-19 April. Listing Hal Watts as a dive partner is quite an entry in anyone's Log!

The 240-feet wide by 240-feet deep "Grotto" offers a most unique opportunity to experience a wide range of SCUBA disciplines in a perfectly controlled environment. You may bring your individual gear, or allow us, at no extra cost, to provide everything required. Check it out. You will not find so much for so little anywhere else on the planet. Each diver, pays only \$400. It just doesn't get any better than SPIKE SCUBA! If you miss this one shot, it had better be because of a bullet in your foot, trapped in intensive care, behind bars, having a baby, or beaming aboard the alien craft guiding the Hale-Bopp Comet! SPIKE-AIRBORNE was G-R-E-A-T, but S-C-U-B-A is BETTER! I'm thrilled about seeing our valued SPIKERS and friends. Please don't miss this Special Spike.

Each Scuba Spiker will receive a packet this month (they are being mailed out with this newsletter) containing an Underwater Training Manual, PADI Application for Dive Certification and their release form. You must study the manual before arriving. Your accelerated training is predicated on your knowing the surface information in the textbook. Each diver MUST INSURE THAT VICCI KNOWS YOUR HEIGHT AND WEIGHT! Arranging complete sets of SCUBA gear requires considerable size balancing. CALL VICCI AT 208-935-1325 with your vitals.

Our Dive Site is 90 miles North of Orlando, 40 miles South of Gainesville and 15 miles Northwest of Ocala. Within 12 Miles of the Dive Site there are many motels along I-75 and Highway 27 (Blichton Road). Oaktree Campground is also at this intersection. FORTY FATHOMS GROTTO IS LOCATED AT 9487 Northwest 115th Ave., OCALA, FLORIDA, Telephone (352) 368-7974. Use Interstate 75. Just North of Ocala, turn off on Exit 71 and go West on State Road (SR) 326 (two lane). Enroute you will cross beneath flashing yellow lights with an Ace Hardware on the right – continue on. You will cross under a second set of lights, almost exactly 7-miles from the point you exited I-75. At this second set of yellow lights, on the right you will see a metal Dive Flag (Red with White diagonal stripe) at the base of power pole on the corner. The "Scuba-sign" has a life-size

red Scuba tank on the top. YOU ARE AT THE CORNER OF 115th AVENUE -- TURN RIGHT! Proceed beneath overhanging trees for something less than a mile. NOW, on the right, you see a white mail box with a small metal Dive Flag attached beneath. TURN RIGHT into the driveway, past a metal gate. On your left is a pole with a cloth Dive Flag flying at the top. At the pole base is a wooden announcement: "40 FATHOM GROTTO." Proceed down the drive less than a block to the Registration area. YOU HAVE ARRIVED!

SPIKE-SCUBA is the second phase in a series of "Special" SPIKES designed to furnish you with the self-confidence and skills to manage any emergency situation. Other Special Spikes will follow at approximately three month intervals. Unlike the first 12-Spike Training Phases which visited multiple sites, Special Spikes will be held in a single location. This allows you to meet other Spikers from across the country while learning and sharing interests in such specialties as Emergency Medicine, Disaster Communications, Off Grid Living, Tactical Operations, Engineering, Psychological Procedures, Special Intelligence, Special Field Survival, and more. Each special phase focuses intensely on a skill area with the purpose of qualifying the attending Spiker to perform related skills. Spike Airborne produced 150 Spikers capable of organizing and conducting air, land, parachute, and message pick-up missions. Scuba will qualify Spikers in a bounty of underwater applications.

You must be a Spiker to attend the April 14-19 training. This means you have attended at least one "resident" Spike-phase, OR have purchased a minimum of one of the 12 Spike training phases on video. Call 208-935-1325 and Vicci will answer any question and solve any problem of eligibility. ONLY the first 120 applicants for Spike Scuba will be accepted. We are rapidly closing on 100 applicants as of this writing. You must send a \$50 registration fee to secure your training slot. Current fully qualified Scuba divers should inform Vicci of their qualification at the time of registration.

You may ask: Why Scuba? Becoming comfortable underwater opens up a vista of untroubled new beginning in other areas of living. Conditioning yourself to feel at home in a liquid environment fulfills several major resolutions in the areas of intellectual, physical, and spiritual advancement. Second, Spike Scuba will develop within you the confidence, described in this issue, as your next step in the formula for personal fitness. Everyone will experience a mega-thrill, and many will find an entirely new area of self-sufficient employment. You will certainly become a better fisherman. If you have any question about whether or not a person can safely attend SPIKE-SCUBA call me: 208-935-1325. I'll personally help you make the right decision.

In Panama, we would choose old village sights covered by the waters of Lake Gatun when the Chagris River was damned in the making of the Canal one-hundred years ago. Original maps provided a virtual treasure trove of one-time thriving communities. In the name of "Refresher"

diving, "required" by Army Regulations, we would scrub these areas for collectibles available only to those with an ability to put a gloved hand in the silt and recover what others, long deceased, had abandoned. French rail was a favorite. It was hollow and when sliced like bread, yielded a fine plaque-mounted memory of Teddy Roosevelt's Canal Zone. I personally favored the "Joseph Kennedy" beer crocks, especially during the 1976 Presidential election. Each bottle was stamped on the side with the manufacturer's name and location. I sent them to my Washington, D.C. associates as a reminder of how political power is actually acquired.

Some of my SF-frogmen were serious collectors who frequently found flawless "Dog" and "Man" hand-blown whisky bottles worth hundreds of dollars. Even old electrical and telephone line isolators were valued. Of course the best finds were where the soiled-doves of those days deposited their culls (perfume, body oil, and whisky decanters). Some very interesting objects were also plucked off the bottom of the Locks as we "inspected" them for maintenance and sabotage. You would be amazed at what gets tossed over-the-side as custom officials board doing transit of the several locks by international vessels.

Military depth regulations prevented the Navy from photographing deep water sonar buoys placed to detect fast moving submarines. The contract was let to civilian divers. Some of my friends, who enjoy travel and danger as a companion, service off-shore oil platforms. Someone must construct, inspect, repair the support structure and pipeline, then provide search, rescue, and recovery of sensitive items dropped into the drink. Beau-coup ecology jobs require underwater breathing -- its become the "peace corps" of the '90's. Related fields include Archaeology, Biology, Geology and Oceanography. I'd love to see Melody (Pup-fish) attend Scripps Institute of Oceanography as a step in her diving interest.

For the weekend warrior, imagine how much booty, deposited by the rich and famous, is waiting to be discovered on a visit to the marina. If you prefer actual work, try removing barnacles from yachts for bucks? Non-Spikers grooving on glowing in the dark can fulfill that feat as sub-contractors performing inspection and maintenance at the many nuclear facilities. I understand the politically correct environmentalists are quick hires for policing up around Chernobyl. Those interested in Civil Engineering can find underwater breathers caring for docks, piers, channels, dams, etc. Point: SPIKE SCUBA CAN OPEN A WELL OF INCOME THROUGH ENGAGING WORK! WHY NOT MAKE MONEY DOING THINGS YOU'D BE WILLING TO PAY FOR? An hour's cruise along a favorite fishing area can provide dinner and a short-ton of detached quality fishing gear, wrist watches, rings, bracelets and other objects cast off by chagrin surface dwellers. Do you get my drift? People above the water lose stuff in the water that they can't recover, but you can! -- after Spike Scuba. My daughter-in-law, Vicci loves old stuff. Imagine how exciting and

rewarding her shopping sprees will be!

Why not turn a hobby into profit? I loved flying enough to be awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and 26 Air Medals. I became an FAA certified flight instructor. I love my work and paid for a plane. I enjoyed the martial arts, worked up to a 6th-degree Blackbelt and won my life's companion working in a Washington, D.C. Karate Do-Jang. In the area of underwater work, what greater challenge, for instance, than becoming an underwater forensic expert. Isolating a crime scene, reconstructing events and gathering evidence can be most rewarding as a consultant to law enforcement. Many police agencies have an UW-SRT-Team that is scrambled to rescue or find citizens who have gotten in over their head. TV-news is rich with river and flood victim rescues. Some of you may even become underwater models! Hey, Rosy, somebody has to pose for all the scuba ads and it's hard to discern a pretty face behind a mask and mouth full of regulator. Spend an hour on the bottom under a bridge and be in awe of what you find.

Now that I have given you more than sufficient rational to attending SPIKE SCUBA, here are a few details about the Grotto and your training. We will provide lunch each day and a graduation dinner – just like Airborne. You are responsible to be present for training NO LATER THAN 0630 hours each morning, Monday through Saturday. Don't make me chew into you for being late – like Airborne! You will be presented with a SPIKE SCUBA Certificate and a distinctive individually numbered medallion fashioned after the Special Forces Combat Scuba Badge. We will have Navy-blue SPIKE SCUBA shirts and caps available upon arrival. A supplemental SPIKE SCUBA SPECIALTIES MANUAL will also be offered as a bible-reference document to all your surface and submariner training. I will commission a one-time casting of 200 SPIKE-SCUBA Medallions. These will be unique in the world, as are our SPIKE AIRBORNE Wings. Those graduates desiring to purchase an additional badge may do so, as long as we have extras. I know that this will be one super-grand happening. I pray you will plan on sharing the moment with us.

You may call Vicci for details on motels and directions. Plan to arrive Sunday, 13 April and depart the following Sunday. Orlando, Jacksonville and Gainesville all have commercial flights. You can ride anywhere Greyhound goes for very few dollars if you make reservations in advance. Ocala has a nice airport for private planes. Let Vicci know if you have a special travel need, e.g., private pilot pick-up from Ocala, etc. Motels, restaurants and camp grounds abound.

Most (70%) of our planet is covered with water. Untold rewards await qualified and motivated divers. You may find a new career field in becoming an underwater instructor, like my daughter, Melody. Some of you will find new satisfaction fishing – now that you can look your quarry in the eye. Thousands of treasure ships litter the coastlines waiting, as the Atosha, to be harvested. Dredging of gold and other precious metals can be super profitable for the stout

hearted. Cruise lines and exotic blue water hotels maintain a staff of "resort" divers.

It was announced in the news on 10 February that a cure for cancer had been discovered by an American diver taking seal life samples in the Philippines. Unfortunately they haven't been able to locate the tiny underwater species again – YET. Underwater operations is a new universe still awaiting pioneers to exploit the abundant gifts from King Neptune's domain. Progressive scientists know that the solutions to earth's nutritional and resource problems are to be found beneath the water. Consider the wonderful fact that with all the pollutants dumped into the oceans, they still return a cornucopia of life. The field of ocean ecology awaits those who have mastered the problem of existing within a liquid environment. Remember God created our world and gave us dominion over the whole of it. This means we need to experience life on all three planes; land, air, and water. See you "down-under" at SPIKE-SCUBA! CALL 208-935-1325 NOW!

WIEGAND STILL IN CONNECTICUT'S DUNGEON

New England states have catchy license tags, e.g., New Hampshire says "Live Free or Die," Connecticut is "The Constitution State." Hartford Family Court Judge George Levine obviously doesn't read, or honor his State's logo. What Levine does honor, sort of like the king, are favors from favored officers of his court, i.e., Lewis Kiefer, Esq. Levine ordered Linda Wiegand incarcerated in the York Maximum Security facility at Niantic, Connecticut on 3 December. Linda was in solitary confinement while we enjoyed Christmas and New Years. She was guilty of no crime other than posing a perceived threat to the State of Connecticut for refusal to safeguard her two sons, Jon and Ben. A New York firm and John Schoenhorn, Esq. from Connecticut were paid to take Linda's case. After failing to file federal action to secure Jon and Ben as advertised, and being cowed by Levine, both lawyers admitted they were only "criminal law" experts and knew nothing about Child and Family Courts. Last month, following another failure, they were fired. Wiegand supporters have been desperate to find competent council somewhere to free Jon, Ben and Linda. A Louisiana lawyer turned out to be just another "looky-lou."

Last month I reported that Linda and her Mother, Carol Morresy, asked me to call a female Family Court attorney, Diane Poland. Poland was identified as a person with "stones" enough to challenge the corrupt courts. She wanted \$15,000. We didn't have it. She agreed to take \$8,000 now and \$7,000 more after the San Diego and Dallas Expos were over in April. I borrowed \$5,000 and Linda's mom was going to come up with the rest. Once my \$5,000 was FedExed, the mom called to say that Poland has changed her mind and wouldn't appear until the entire 15-K was paid. Carol wanted to know: "Bo, how are you going to come up with the extra \$7,000?" I was mad as hell and ready to charge Poland and Carol with extortion. Carol wanted to know if she came up with the money would I

"Guarantee" to pay it back? It is as if Linda, Jon and Ben have no family other than us (you and me).

I once inquired of Linda, "Why aren't your family and friends willing to help?" She replied that she and her mom were on the outs and while there was a nest-egg of \$3-million it was in "CDs" and the holders wouldn't touch it (see why it is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than the rich to gain access to Heaven). I mentioned the dilemma over the radio. An Alabama Angel named Janice called the 888-208-0638 number and donated \$3,000 on her credit card! Crudely, Linda's mother telephoned Janice and pressured her into sending a "certified check." Apparently, it was enough for Poland to go forward. Linda appeared with her new "advocate" before Levine on February 5 without affect. THANK YOU JANICE! JANICE IS THE SAME PERSON OFFERING FREE "SAVE JON & BEN" BUMPER STICKERS.

At the 5 February hearing, Kiefer chewed the same old bone, what are the codes to the Swiss bank accounts? The hearing was delayed until the 7th and Linda went back to York Maximum Security Institute. The inquisition continued on the 7th with more of the same from Kiefer until the judge called a halt and further delayed the hearing for two weeks – sending Linda BACK TO PRISON until the February 18th. At this last hearing, Levine turned a deaf ear to Poland and remanded Linda back to York. The next appearance is scheduled for 7 March. I pray, if God allows curses, that Levine, Kiefer, Wilkinson, and others aligned with them, burn on this earth as I believe they will in hell.

The Nazi-like authorities at York are also doing their part to break Linda. In early February, they ruled that Linda had been incarcerated for so long that her status was being changed to "sentenced inmate." They now say she "owes the State of Connecticut \$30,000, to be paid in prison at \$10 per day for 3,000 days." This amounts to the bail assessment ordered by Levine. He further stated that if paid, the entire amount goes to Kiefer and Wilkinson. To compound Linda's emotional stress, authorities have charged Linda with "Security Tampering," a crime that extends her sentence by an extra 30 days. All written and telephone communications are monitored and recorded. Linda has been assigned an attorney by the State for the upcoming Wilkinson hearing at Rockville on 6 March. Linda needed to talk with him. She is allowed only two collect calls per day. She telephoned Tony, the New York lawyer, to discuss the hearing and he "conferenced" the newly assigned attorney. Prison phone monitors cut the line and announced that she was "security tampering!" Will it never end? Tell me this torture isn't of the same caliber suffered by Christians in the dens of Rome?

It was announced in the February newsletter that Connecticut is finally reacting to the pressure applied by CFA readers and listeners to Freedom Call radio. They filed a petition against Tom Wilkinson for not providing the boys with proper counseling. The hearing is now set to take place on 6 March at the Rockville Court (away from Kiefers previously friendly turf). Only God and those involved know

if this is just "filling a square" for more cover-up, or maybe someone in government is actually interested in protecting Jon and Ben. There is mounting opinion that state prosecutors are preparing a child abuse case against Wilkinson. If so, it is only because of your calls and letters to Governor Roland and Attorney General Blumenthal.

The sentencing of three judges and a lawyer in San Diego on 6 February clearly illustrates what I believe is behind the miscarriage of justice with respect to Linda, Jon and Ben Wiegand. The Connecticut Family Courts have utterly ignored and violated the Constitutional rights of the Wiegand Family in placing Jon and Ben in the hands of their abuser, while imprisoning their Mom, Linda. How was Kiefer able to secure custody for a man accused and arrested by Vermont police for child abuse? What kind of "judge" denies counsel to a defendant and then awards hundreds of thousands of dollars to a plaintiff?

Former California Superior Court judges Michael Greer, James Malkus, G. Dennis Adams, and attorney Patrick Frega, all guilty of corruption, were imprisoned for up to 44 months. Greer plea bargained and testified against his colleagues in exchange for three years probation. A pathetic Greer claiming poor health and depression whined out his confession: "Early on, I recognized Mr. Frega for who he was but DID NOT HAVE THE COURAGE TO PUT AN END TO IT." This collection of human sewage returned favorable rulings for clients of Frega in return for "cars, repairs and computers." There should be special sentencing guidelines for scum bags in positions of "special trust and confidence" who violate their oath of office to "We the People." How deep do you suppose the decay and corruption goes in the Connecticut Family Courts?

TALE OF TWO TIERS

Call it what you will, there are still only two classes of worldly people, the rich and everybody else. Last month I wrote about Sir Francis Drake, England's foremost Admiral, who, because he wasn't a "blueblood," fell from grace when the war with Spain was over. Our 1776 fight for Independence presumably established each American as a king and every state a sovereign Republic. Most of the world's population has been in envy ever since. "Only in Amerika!"... is there liberty and justice for all, right – NOT! February 19th I received a dose of reality concerning the current status of "class discrimination" American-style.

I was introduced to an Oklahoma lawyer, by Robert, our Indian bank attorney, who is revered by his colleagues even more than Gerry Spence – Jimmy Linn is his name. Over a period of five, long conversations, punctuated by volumes of documents, he expressed high interest in our Connecticut quandary. The problem with Jimmy is three-fold: money, money, and more money. Repeatedly, he asked, "Bo, who will pay our expenses for travel and going up there." Each time I've assured him: "Your expenses will be paid." Each time his response was: "I just know the money isn't there." My reference to collecting \$30,000

be paid." Each time his response was: "I just know the money isn't there." My reference to collecting \$30,000 dollars for Linda's defense wasn't impressive: "Bo, we don't even talk to people for that amount." Fortunately, Neville, Linn's military aficionado associate, "knows everything" about me and wants to take the case. Linn could hardly believe that Jim and I haven't, and won't, accept money from Linda for our involvement: "Colonel, you're too good to be true!" He laughed knowingly when I explained about Ruby Ridge and the dozen FBI caps that my Sandy Valley Boy Scouts won't wear. My only assurance to Mr. Linn was and is: America will be a better place when he wins for Jon, Ben, Linda, Jim, you and me.

Mr. Linn was in a quandary. He had a rich Dallas family needing legal help who was willing to sign a blank check. And there I was like an angel for good hoping he will do something just because it is right! As usual money wins. Wayne Terrant and Robert went to Oklahoma City to encourage Linn to take our case. As it turns out "expense money" amounts to \$200,000! I saw what was claimed to be a million dollars behind bomb proof glass in the Golden Nugget Casino once, but I've never held \$200,000 in my life. Wayne was hopeful that I could raise the money: "If Jimmy Lynn takes the case, Bo, everyone can relax and go to sleep – it's won," and I believe it to be so. I calculate it would take between five and 10 years for me to pay that much to Mr. Linn. Wayne added that: "Normal people have to pay an up front retainer of \$500,000, but because of who you are and the righteous cause, he is willing to do the work for only \$200,000." I was assured Mr. Linn would not be making a penny.

As a Special Forces commander, I accept the value of "dreaming" as an aid to planning impossible missions – tethered to "reality." It would be wonderful to be represented by Jimmy Linn, knowing that America's attention would be focused on abating child sexual abuse, but there is no way – except for the rich. In retrospect, it was a dream that an accomplished attorney like Linn would take a case just to right a major wrong. In truth, the poor must appeal to and depend upon God for justice.

STILL "WE GOT-EM"

Jim and I must appear on 14-19 March at the Enfield, Connecticut Superior Court for preliminary hearings. Priority #1 is, has been, and will continue to be: Save Jon and Ben! Priority #2, unite the children with their Mother; Priority #3, get ourselves out. Even though Jim and I face a potential 40-years in prison, I am certain that we will win. I have a three-pronged plan to free the boys. Plan A, Tom Wilkinson is scheduled to appear with Kiefer at a hearing on 6 March the Rockville Family Court. The State (thanks to your calls, faxes and letters) has finally filed a complaint against Wilkinson for not providing Jon and Ben with professional counseling to ease their emotional distress. Kiefer has made every effort, but failed, to keep Linda away from the hearing. Connecticut has supplied her with free counsel to represent

her interests. It is a possibility that Jon and Ben will be removed from their abuser as a result.

Plan B, If the State fails to act, Linda's mom has hired a lawyer to file for her visitation rights as the Maternal Grandmother to both Jon and Ben. Her motion is scheduled for hearing before Judge George Levine on 6 March. When either of the boys confirms sexual abuse to her during the first visit, State authorities will be called in to separate the boys from the abuser. I have high hopes for success, but in event of the worse we go to Plan C!

Kiefer threatens anyone who might be an advocate for the boys or Linda. He threatened John Schoenhorn, me, Talk America, a State Psychiatrist, an Internet address that agreed to run Linda's data on the boys confirmed abuse by Wilkinson, and a legion of others. Everyone else shrank like a snowflake on a hot stove. To provoke a stupid move, I remarked to Kiefer that the signature on his letter reflected a "troubled person." He took the bait and immediately filed suit for defamation against attorney Schoenhorn and me. As reported I was served with papers upon entering the court house. I was due in Connecticut for depositions on 21 January, but had a previous engagement to officiate at the marriage of Victoria Bond and Wayne Terrant's marriage. Kiefer's plan is to wring out all of my information on Linda, the major flaw in his narrow mind is that I can now depose both Jon and Ben. As soon as either, or both confirm abuse, the Child Protective Services will be called in. **JON AND BEN WILL BE SAVED!**

When the focus is back on the boys and their abuser, Linda will be exonerated of all the Kiefer – corrupt court induced baloney. Once Linda and the boys are back together, political pressure can be brought to dismiss the charges on Jim and myself. It will have been a long, dangerous and hard fight – but worth the risk, energy and resources – I'm sure you agree. Next, we go after the Satanists and other sexual abusers of children in America. I have since my first meeting with Linda been convinced that the case of Jon and Ben can be pivotal to the Spiritual health of our nation. We will either act to choose the right, or suck swamp water for our failure. I pray a blessing upon each of you who has come forward to help in this battle described so well in Ephesians 6:12. **TOGETHER WE WIN!**

I need your help more than ever, now that we are finally turning the corner and regaining the initiative. I must hire a Connecticut defamation lawyer to fight Kiefer and depose the boys. I must continue to fight the criminal charges. You can best help in FIVE ways: (1) Jim and I need frequent flyer miles to provide travel to Connecticut. A normal fare for one person round trip is \$858! If you have any Delta Airline miles, or AT&T TRUE REWARDS points, these can be converted to tickets on Delta. For information call my home at 208-935-1325. Vicci will explain how best to convert what you have available. For the TRUE VALUE REWARDS you can call 800-869-9900. Have your TRUE VALUE NUMBER READY. A recorded voice will ask you to enter the 12-digit number located either at the top

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(2) Your cash donations go to CPA for legal fee disbursement only. Every penny is strictly accounted for. (3) Craig Smith loaned \$100,000 to secure Jim and my release from prison. The cash can be released if we have an acceptable "real estate" security bond. Anyone willing to make such an offer should call Vicci at 208-935-1325. I CAN GUARANTEE THAT JIM AND I WILL MAKE EVERY REQUIRED APPEARANCE.

(4) It is only because of your calls, faxes and letters that Connecticut is beginning to react to this heinous crime against two little boys and their loving mother. PLEASE RE-DOUBLE YOUR EFFORTS. SEND IN NEW MESSAGES PRESSING RESPONSIBLE PUBLIC OFFICIALS TO ACT RESPONSIBLY! ESPECIALLY CALL, FAX AND WRITE GOVERNOR John G. Roland -- 860-566-4840/524-7396 fax; also Attorney General Richard Blumenthal -- 860-566-3579/1704 fax; Linda Rossi is Commissioner of the Department of Children and Families -- call 860-550-6300, or fax 860-524-7395; John Bailey is the State's Chief Attorney 860-258-5800, fax 860-258-5858; John Malone is the Enfield Prosecutor pressing, with no evidence, the charges against Jim and me -- call 860-741-3473, fax 860-741-3801. PLEASE WRITE TO ME AT: BO GRITZ, BOX 308, KAMIAH, IDAHO 83536.

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Finally, Claudia has come up with what I believe to be a good idea. We have an airport home west off of Interstate Highway-15 just Southwest of Las Vegas, Nevada. The home is free and clear. The house is about 4,000 sq. ft with a two car garage, 42'x 42' all metal aircraft hanger, concrete taxiway, three large automatically watered lawns, enclosed tile front porch, an outside storage room and deluxe Jacuzzi room attached to the master bedroom. Inside there are three bathrooms. All of the plumbing is copper. The premium roof is fairly new as is the very highest quality wall-to-wall carpeting. There are two large hot water heaters, new appliances (washer, dryer, ice-making frig, dishwasher, etc.) The well water even has a magnetic system to help further purify the water. There is central air conditioning and heating. A large brick fireplace keeps the living room cozy on Christmas. My office was actually designed to be a large bedroom with an adjoining library/sitting room.

The hall with skylights is extra-extra wide, so wide it was the Center For Action Office with work tables, desks, filing cabinets, et al. Melody's bedroom is very large, I designed a martial arts workout room with private entrance next to her room with mirrors from ceiling to floor. Glass block allows for natural light. Two other bedrooms were used as a "home-office" and for food and ammunition

storage. There could be six bedrooms, all with large double door closets. There is a nine-foot satellite dish and current cabling for televisions in four rooms. The house has connections for four active telephone lines. We have more than \$250,000 into the home.

We had hoped to sell our Nevada home to pay for the move to Idaho (I borrowed \$50,000 to help us get settled). Now with the added Connecticut legal expenses, we are going to GIVE OUR HOME AWAY! To assure proper investigation and professional representation (Kiefer Civil Suit and Criminal Charges), I need an estimated \$200,000. WE WILL PLACE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF ANYONE DONATING A MINIMUM OF \$200 TO: BO GRITZ DEFENSE FUND, BOX 308, KAMIAH, IDAHO 83536, ON A 3" x 5" CARD. THE CARDS WILL BE HELD UNTIL 1,000 SUCH DONATIONS ARE RECEIVED. AT THAT TIME, CLAUDIA AND I WILL SELECT ONE OF THE CARDS. THE PERSON ON THAT CARD WILL BE PRESENTED WITH OWNERSHIP OF OUR NEVADA AIRPORT HOME! There is no limit to the number of \$200 donations. If you send me \$2,000, you will have 10 cards prepared and entered. EACH CARD WILL BE NUMBERED. MY CONFIRMATION LETTER WILL CONTAIN THE NUMBER(S) ASSIGNED TO YOUR CARD(S).

YOU HAVE MY PERSONAL GUARANTEE: THE CARD CHOSEN (WITH ITS NUMBER WILL BE REPRODUCED IN THIS NEWSLETTER. IF FOR ANY REASON, WE CANNOT GIFT THE HOME, WE WILL WRITE TO THE PERSON AND ADDRESS ON EVERY CARD AND RETURN YOUR DONATION. EACH MONTH I WILL KEEP YOU POSTED ON THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES.

Claudia and I moved onto our desert airstrip 50-miles from the nearest milk and gas in 1983. We developed our dream home. Now property values are soaring. Las Vegas is the fastest growing area in America. Sima Road comes off of I-15 bypassing, Clark Mountain, and runs through Sandy Valley to reconnect with I-15 on the way to and from Los Angeles and Las Vegas. The shortcut eliminates 35 miles of steep climb and descent. There are plans to improve the shortcut as a major thoroughfare. Property values will triple. I can promise anyone living in our home a beautiful experience of warm winters, clear skies, fresh air, no hassle living, surrounded by a wall of tall mountains. The end of the runway is California, three counties also join at this juncture, Clark, Nye, and San Bernardino. There are many advantages to living on the perimeter of so many governments -- no one cares.

Please help us. I know the family gifted with our home will receive a wonderful blessing -- just as we did. I could be wrong, but I hope we will have the money needed to win this moral battle in the near term. We have six preparedness expos starting the end of February. Between the radio, newsletter and those public events, with your help, God Willing, we'll have the ammunition required!

COURAGE

The Cowardly Lion in the Wizard of Oz movie was transformed when the professor presented him with a medal. 3,000 of you helped me present Michael New with a Legion of Merit for his moral courage in saying "NO" to UN blue. I'm again asking your support in awarding medals to little Jon and Ben Wiegand. As time progresses, each of us is going to be tried in the areas of physical bravery, moral turpitude, and spiritual fidelity – even as Christians of old who, refusing to reject Jesus as the Christ, were thrown to wild beasts for public pleasure in the arenas of Rome.

God made me a soldier, leader, and teacher. He gave me an abiding love for little ones. I've made many trips in support of a new Eagle Scout, or other child. I've always made little people a priority in my life. Most recently, a 12 year old, Jeff Seals, from Visalia, California called in on "Freedom Call" to say that he was assigned to write a school essay on "Courage." He had selected General Robert E. Lee, George S. Patton and Bo Gritz. He wondered if, cleared by school authorities, would I come and give a talk to his class on the subject. Valentine's Day, one day before Jeff's birthday, I put on my uniform, fired up the twin-Cessna and flew across the majestic Sierra Nevadas to Visalia. Jeff met me at the airport. He looked like a Senator in his dark suit and tie (I expect he'll be one someday). The principal is a Hispanic man named Rick, two of the faculty are Vietnam Vets; Mrs. Williams, Jeff's teacher, was quick to identify herself as a conservative. The student body filed into the gym. A large sign on the wall welcomed me. It was as if I had not run for president and been used as a buff stick by homosexual, Jewish, and other liberal special interest groups. ABC-TV was there to record the "controversial" remarks of America's "militia leader," as was a member of the school board.

I contrasted the story of David and Goliath with Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego as examples of physical and moral courage. I was much encouraged as I asked who had heard of these Bible heroes and about half the student body raised their hand. Not a single person made a move to object. The students registered disapproval when I asked if there was any justification for officials to lie under oath before Congress. I told them who was behind the flood of drugs in America and why. We talked about Ruby Ridge. They cheered when I explained how Jon and Ben Wiegand stuck to the truth about being sexually abused. The room literally buzzed with excitement and approval of a medal for both boys. One of the students asked me: "Who is YOUR hero?" murmurs of "Patton, Clinton, Reagan, and Clint Eastwood" rippled around the room. Their approval was obvious as I explained how "my Grandmom" had been my best friend and hero. It was a great happening for me. I told them the truth and they appreciated and understood my words. Jeff beamed as the teachers and I posed for pictures. Even the ABC news crew said it was a "great speech."

Before the talk, I asked myself what a 58-year old person might say that would interest new teenagers?

Absolutely nothing came to mind. I tried going back to my Jr. High days, still zero. The connection came from frankness in sharing unique experiences and true concern for their future. My spirits are lifted by the fine group of students and faculty that made me so welcomed when teachers and administrators in Kamiah hatefully rejected my offer of service. That night on the Six-O'Clock News the commentator remarked that Jeff had asked, but didn't expect "his most decorated guest" to actually show up at the school. The closing remark was: "While some may believe that Bo Gritz is controversial that view isn't shared tonight by the students at Visalia's Nividaro Middle School."

What a thrill to have dozens of students line up with scraps of paper seeking an autograph. THANK YOU JEFF SEAL FOR RENEWING THIS AGING MAN'S FAITH IN A YOUNGER GENERATION. I wasn't prepared for it, but every student at the talk wanted to sign the "Decoration Petition" for Jon and Ben. I think the Wiegand boys will be encouraged knowing they are heroes to older children across the nation.

I also want your signatures for the Bronze Star Medal with "V" for Valor to be presented to Jon and Ben Wiegand ASAP! Please send me permission to add your names to those supporting this award. I will make the presentation at the time we depose the boys in connection with Kiefer's defamation suit. Send a letter with list of names you have collected to Bo Gritz, Box 308, Kamiah, Idaho 83536, call Vicci at 208-935-1325, or fax me at 208-935-1328. Don't wait another day!

BLACK & WHITE WITH SHADES OF GRAY

New York's governor removed the Georgia State Flag with its "Stars & Bars" as a "symbol of hatred" from the Albany State House last month. The Georgia Legislature then retaliated by striking the New York colors in Atlanta. Both would do well to research the facts before acting like juveniles.

The Civil War was primarily fought over slavery, right? NOT! I've discussed this issue before, but added detail may help even the most revisionist indoctrinated reader to discern the truth. The War between the States was fought over sovereignty and taxation without representation – like the first struggle for American independence. The more populous Northern States controlled Congress. The industrial North wanted more central government and taxation. They thought to increase import taxes on goods from Europe in order to protect their own products. The South, without factories, traded raw cotton to the French and English for finished manufactured goods. Higher import tax meant higher Southern costs both from overseas and Northern producers. The North benefited from the elevated prices and the increased taxes. The out-voted Southerners thought the import tax hikes were un-Constitutional. Their only protection was to keep a president in office who would veto elevated tax bills. South Carolina made moves to

secede from the Union in 1828 and 1832 over excessive taxes until Old Hickory took action limiting import tariffs to 20%.

The presidential election in 1860 was a four-way race won by Lincoln with only 38% of the vote. Lincoln stated in his inaugural address, March 4, 1861, that he had "no purpose, directly or indirectly, to interfere with the institution of slavery in the States where it exists. I believe I have no lawful right to do so, and I have no inclination to do so." What Lincoln did do was keep his promise to big Northern business and, in his first month, import taxes were more than doubled to 47%, causing the Southern States to secede. Left alone to pay the ridiculous tax, the North's only recourse was to force the South's participation at gun-point. The Southern uprising was the most complete, in terms of almost unanimous support, in all of history (much more so than in 1776). Everyone in the South knew and understood the devastating affect of the highest import tax in U.S. history.

General U.S. Grant further defined the terms of the war when he stated for the record: "If I thought this war was to abolish slavery, I would resign my commission, and offer my sword to the other side." Lincoln and the U.S. Congress even offered to pass a Constitutional Amendment for the South, guaranteeing permanent slavery if only the Southern States would return to the Union. A purely Northern Congress failed in 1862 to pass a Constitutional amendment abolishing slavery, and the Northern slave states refused to free their slaves until after the war! Lincoln declared all slaves in the "territory then in rebellion" freed on 1 January 1863 (Emancipation Proclamation). Delaware, Maryland, Washington, D.C., Kentucky, Missouri and West Virginia all maintaining slaves, never seceded and were under Yankee control throughout the war.

Even the 1997 World Almanac acknowledges that the war started on 12 April 1861, when Lincoln decided to "resupply" Fort Sumter (Charleston). South Carolina had withdrawn from the Union on 20 December 1860 and considered Lincoln's move of troops and munitions into their sovereign waters an act of war. Ten other States joined South Carolina in forming the Confederacy in 1861.

February was "Black History Month." It is appropriate that this month we look at the FULL truth behind slavery. The word "slave" has its origins in the Greek "Slav." Appropriately the root-word is taken from WHITE SLAVES taken from the Slavic nations (Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Slavonia, Russia, Poland, Hungry and other European whitelands) and sold into captivity to Romans, Arabs, and black masters in Egypt, Libya and Ethiopia. Black slaves came primarily from Nigeria where they were captured and sold by Black masters to Yankee traders from Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York, New Jersey and Delaware. These slavers swapped rum manufactured in Northern factories to African slave owners, AND THEN traded most (only 5% of the Black slaves came into the U.S.) of the slaves to South America (West Indies) for molasses to be made into more rum, and so went the cycle!

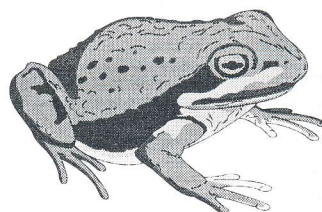
General William T. Sherman, who scorched and scourged the earth all the way to Atlanta, had slaves. He not only owned slaves, he abused them and was repeatedly called into court for extreme callousness in dealing with his Black human chattel. The U.S. census in 1860 shows 7% of all Southern Whites owned slaves, along with 2% of the free Blacks (10,000 free Blacks owned 60,000 Black slaves)! When the U.S. Government moved the Cherokee Indians (Trail of Tears), 30% were Black slaves of the Cherokee. A free-Black slave owner, Anthony Johnson, sued and won in 1653 to change slavery in Virginia from "temporary to lifetime servitude!"

Much is said about those who aided slaves to escape from the South (Nat Turner and Harriet Tubman), but not all slaves ran from – at least one fought for – the South! John P. Harris, a black Republican legislator from Washington County, Mississippi made the following statement on 11 February 1890: "When the news came that the South had been invaded, our men went forth to fight for their country and for what they believed. Mr. Speaker, I went with them. I too wore the Gray, the same color my master wore. We stayed four long years, and if that war had gone on till now, I would have been there yet."

I've told you what I learned first hand from a Confederate, my Great-Grand-Father about the Stars & Bars. I believe there are elements in America today who care little for the truth, but have much to say hoping to kindle hate in Americans for each other. Hate is their business (splinter special interest groups) and business is good these days. A black Nevada State Senator predicted before the Carson City Legislature that a U.S. race war was in the making. The hate-mongers aren't wearing a cross, or confederate flag. They are the ones with \$53,000,000 in the bank (Southern "Poverty" Law Center). Like Hitler, their tactic is to "tell a big lie" often enough so that most of the people will be convinced it is true.

Previously, I have not flown a Confederate Flag, but after the outrageous lies and efforts to fire hatred in the hearts of ignorant Americans, the Stars & Bars will now fly from my staff. I'm glad that slavery is outlawed in America, but what about Nike's use of slaves in Vietnam, and China's use of slave labor to produce American goods? How close are we to becoming government slaves through restrictions and taxation? The Stars & Bars over my home stands for a lot – that we won't!

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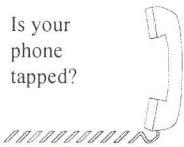
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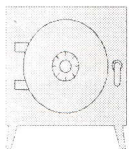
Every phase of SPIKE gets better and better. This phase guaranteed those in attendance permanent smiles. You can capture those smiles when you sit down with Phase 10, stick the **Counter-terrorist driving** tape in your VCR and prepare for a fast ride. You will never need to fear about turning down the wrong street or cornered by a group of thugs. You'll learn how to effectively ram, break a car barricade; how to do J and bootleg turns with the greatest of ease and safely. With expert instruction by **Bo, Jim Gritz, and Scott Weekly** your life and that of your family and friends will be lengthened - the whole purpose of SPIKE.



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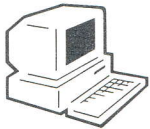
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What Is The CENTER FOR ACTION???

Center For Action (CFA) was started by Col. James "Bo" Gritz and his wife Claudia in 1989. Bo had spent over 30 years of his life serving in the U.S. Army. He is America's most decorated Green Beret Commander in the Vietnam War. In General William Westmoreland's best seller, "A Soldier's Report" Gen. Westmoreland dedicated a chapter to Bo and called it "THE American Soldier." Bo received 62 citations of valor.

After Vietnam Bo served as Commander of Special Forces in Latin America, Chief of Staff in the Pentagon, Congressional Officer for the Army and more. He holds three Master Degrees including Law Enforcement, Communications and Journalism.

Bo has led numerous POW/MIA rescue operations. It was during one of these that Bo was given the names of high government officials smuggling drugs by the drug Lord Khun Sa of Burma.

It was at this time in 1989 that Bo organized the Center For Action.

In 1991 Bo ran for President and asked Jerry Gillespie to join him as National Campaign Coordinator and currently serves as business partner and associate.

Bo was successful in 1992 of rescuing Randy Weaver and his girls from murder by the U.S. government. Bo testified before the U.S. Senate regarding Ruby Ridge and negotiated with the Freemen in Jordan, Montana.

In 1993 Center For Action started **SPIKE** (Specially Prepared Individuals for Key Events) Delta Force training and traveled through out the nation teaching special preparedness courses. After 3 and 1/2 years of training, thousands of students have attended the training in person or purchased the videos.

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